

Alexandria Gazette.

WEDNESDAY EVENING MAY 3 1899

A Dazzling Array.

The hotel clerk told the following story: Charles L. Davis, the actor, otherwise known as "Alvin Joslin," was in the lobby of the St. Charles in New Orleans, when a man from Chicago stepped in front of him and looked over his head in search of an acquaintance that he supposed was in the hotel lobby. Davis, mistaking the Chicago man's purpose, remarked: "Ah! I see you admire my diamonds. This one—indicating the stone on his shirt bosom—cost me \$3,000. These—showing his cuff buttons—"cost me \$2,500 each, and my wife has a trunkful up in our room."

The Chicago man did not say much, but that evening, by arrangement with the head waiter, Davis was placed at supper alone at a table where there were several vacant chairs. Presently several men, all commercial travelers, entered the dining room, and each one had a large cut glass fruit dish fastened on his breast, while glass prisms hung pendent from each coat and vest button.

Soberly marking to Davis' table, the seven men took the vacant seats, and the Chicago man entertained the actor with: "Ah, I see you admire our diamonds. This one—pointing to the fruit dish—"cost me \$8,000,000. These—indicating the prisms—"cost \$250,000 each, and we have three carloads like them at the depot waiting to be side tracked." Davis not only changed his table, but went to another hotel.

—Louisville Courier-Journal.

He Was Clean.

The advantage of a trained nurse is that she knows not only what to do, but what not to do, since unnecessary attentions merely exhaust the patient. The point is illustrated by the following story from an old Cape newspaper of the time of the Zulu war, when kindly but untrained ladies rushed off in embarrassing numbers to give their services at the military hospitals.

"What can I do for you, my poor fellow?" asked one of the gentle nurses of a sufferer.

"Nothing, thank you, miss."

"Not anything?" said the charming visitor persuasively.

"I don't think so," murmured the wounded man wearily.

"At least," she said mildly but firmly, "I can wash your face." She fetched the necessary materials and scoured Mr. Atkins' rueful countenance.

"There!" she announced. "Now you will feel nice and clean."

"I ought to, miss," said the soldier, with a faint smile. "You're the ninth lady who's washed my face this morning!"

Lovable Little Pigs.

While the raising of swine is not exactly a poetical occupation, it is said to be a paying one and one that would be practicable for a woman to engage in.

"One of the most thoroughgoing, capable business women of the day," says The Practical Farmer, "is a breeder of fine swine, and she has won a reputation that is enviable. She has made thousands of dollars from the business and is proud of and enjoys her work. Poultry and swine breeding as a part of the farm wife's business ventures forms both a happy and profitable combination. Even the word 'happy,' she says, is well placed, for it is a happy work caring for and owning handsome sows and pretty, thrifty pigs, fine shots and marketable hogs. Little pigs, she asserts, are as lovable as baby chicks, and through actual ownership one takes pride and comfort in watching them grow and looking to the comforts and needs of the entire swine herd."—New York Tribune.

An Unfortunate Participle.

A recent discussion at a dinner table, whether "gotten" or "got" were the preferable participle, received a practical solution, at least for the telegraphic service, from an experience related of a college professor who preferred "gotten." He had telegraphed to his wife: "Have gotten tickets for the theater tonight. Meet me there."

The telegraph operator rendered this into: "Have got ten tickets," etc.

Mrs. Professor was delighted with the opportunity of entertaining her friends and accordingly made up a party of eight besides herself, whose greetings to the professor at the rendezvous were probably more cordial than his feeling until matters were explained. He now makes an exception to his customary use of "gotten."

I have been a sufferer from chronic diarrhoea ever since the war and have used all kinds of medicines for it. At last I found one remedy that has been a success as a cure, and that is Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.—P. E. GRISHAM, Gaule Mills, La. For sale by J. H. Janney, Druggist, 701 King St.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

I have qualified as administrator of the estate of the late JULIA A. SIMPSON and notice is hereby given to all parties having claims against said estate to present them, properly authenticated, and persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make payment.

GEO. L. SIMPSON,
Administrator.
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ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE.

I have qualified as administratrix of the estate of the late H. J. NEVETT, I hereby notify all parties having claims against said estate to present them, duly authenticated, and all parties indebted to the said estate to make payment.

MARY ANGELA NEVETT,
Administratrix.
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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as executor of SARAH C. SHIRLEY, all persons having claims against her estate are notified to present the same to me, duly verified, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

J. FRANKLIN DYSON, Executor.
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AUCTION SALES.

BY VIRTUE OF A DEED OF TRUST dated February 24 1896, and recorded in the clerk's office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, in deed book No. 30, page 66, and by direction of the holder of the note secured thereby, I shall on
TUESDAY, May 24 day of May, 1899,
at 12 o'clock noon, in front of the entrance to the Corporation Court room for sale at public auction, the property known as No. 904 Fairfax street.

Terms of sale: Cash.
JULIANT T. BULKE, Trustee.
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By S. H. Hunt, Auctioneer.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF A SUBDIVISION CALLED ARLINGTON HEIGHTS IN ALEXANDRIA COUNTY, VIRGINIA.

By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of the county of Alexandria, Virginia, entered on the 14th day of November, 1898, in the chancery cause of James B. McNaughton vs. B. D. Carpenter, trustee, et al., the undersigned commissioners of sale will sell, in front of the premises, at 1:30 o'clock p. m., on
TUESDAY, May 16th, 1899,
ALL OF THE LOTS in a subdivision in Alexandria county, Virginia, called Arlington Heights, except lots 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 556, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 590, 591, 592, 593, 594, 595, 596, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 631, 632, 633, 634, 635, 636, 637, 638, 639, 640, 641, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654, 655, 656, 657, 658, 659, 660, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669, 670, 671, 672, 673, 674, 675, 676, 677, 678, 679, 680, 681, 682, 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694, 695, 696, 697, 698, 699, 700, 701, 702, 703, 704, 705, 706, 707, 708, 709, 710, 711, 712, 713, 714, 715, 716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 728, 729, 730, 731, 732, 733, 734, 735, 736, 737, 738, 739, 740, 741, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 747, 748, 749, 750, 751, 752, 753, 754, 755, 756, 757, 758, 759, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 768, 769, 770, 771, 772, 773, 774, 775, 776, 777, 778, 779, 780, 781, 782, 783, 784, 785, 786, 787, 788, 789, 790, 791, 792, 793, 794, 795, 796, 797, 798, 799, 800, 801, 802, 803, 804, 805, 806, 807, 808, 809, 810, 811, 812, 813, 814, 815, 816, 817, 818, 819, 820, 821, 822, 823, 824, 825, 826, 827, 828, 829, 830, 831, 832, 833, 834, 835, 836, 837, 838, 839, 840, 841, 842, 843, 844, 845, 846, 847, 848, 849, 850, 851, 852, 853, 854, 855, 856, 857, 858, 859, 860, 861, 862, 863, 864, 865, 866, 867, 868, 869, 870, 871, 872, 873, 874, 875, 876, 877, 878, 879, 880, 881, 882, 883, 884, 885, 886, 887, 888, 889, 890, 891, 892, 893, 894, 895, 896, 897, 898, 899, 900, 901, 902, 903, 904, 905, 906, 907, 908, 909, 910, 911, 912, 913, 914, 915, 916, 917, 918, 919, 920, 921, 922, 923, 924, 925, 926, 927, 928, 929, 930, 931, 932, 933, 934, 935, 936, 937, 938, 939, 940, 941, 942, 943, 944, 945, 946, 947, 948, 949, 950, 951, 952, 953, 954, 955, 956, 957, 958, 959, 960, 961, 962, 963, 964, 965, 966, 967, 968, 969, 970, 971, 972, 973, 974, 975, 976, 977, 978, 979, 980, 981, 982, 983, 984, 985, 986, 987, 988, 989, 990, 991, 992, 993, 994, 995, 996, 997, 998, 999, 1000.

Terms of Sale: One-fourth of the purchase money in cash and the residue in three equal payments at 12, 24 and 36 months from day of sale, the purchaser to give his notes for the deferred payments, which are to bear interest from the day of sale, and the title to be retained until the whole of the purchase money is paid, or the purchaser may pay all cash, or he may have the property conveyed to him upon making the cash payment and securing the deferred payments by executing a deed of trust upon the property.

This property is beautifully situated and adjoins the Arlington reservation, and it is situated at a short distance of Arlington, part of the front of the Columbia turnpike and is within less than one-fourth of a mile from the Arlington branch of the Washington, Arlington and Falls Church Railway, and lot No. 6 is improved by a frame dwelling and out buildings.

ANTHONY W. ARMSTRONG, Comm'r.
SAMUEL G. BRENT, Comm'r.
FRANCIS L. SMITH, Comm'r.

H. H. YOUNG, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Alexandria county, Va.
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By S. H. Hunt, Auctioneer.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

By virtue of a decree entered in the chancery suit of George A. Muebach, complainant, against C. Orrick Swann et al., defendants, depending in the Circuit Court of Alexandria county, Va., the undersigned commissioners of sale in said decree, will sell at public auction, on the premises, on
THURSDAY, May 25 1899,
at about 5 o'clock p. m., the following described real estate in Alexandria county, Va., being that PORTION OF PRESTON FARM lying west of the Alexandria canal and between it and the Washington and Alexandria turnpike and railroad and the Danglefield farm, including the small lot near the arches at Four Mile run and containing 26 acres, more or less, being the land on the east side of the Washington Southern Railway, and lying between Washington and Ohio Junction and Four Mile run station.

Terms of Sale: One-fourth of the proceeds of sale in cash, on day of sale, and the residue in three equal payments, at six, twelve and eighteen months from day of sale, the same to bear interest and be evidenced by the notes of the purchaser and secured by a deed of trust to the land being retained until the notes are paid.

This land consists of a large quantity of first-class brick clay.

LEONARD MARRY, Comm'r.
JOHN M. JOHNSON, Comm'r.
W. W. DOUGLASS, Comm'r.

I hereby certify that the bond, with approved surety, required by the statute has been given by Leonard Marbury, Commissioner of Sale.

H. H. YOUNG, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Alexandria county, Va.
ap14 1m

By S. H. Hunt, Auctioneer.

SALE OF VALUABLE TRACT OF LAND IN FAIRFAX COUNTY—PART OF ORIGINAL MT. VERNON TRACT.—By virtue of two certain deeds of trust dated respectively, January 26th, 1898, and May 11th, 1898, recorded respectively, in Liber A, No. 6, p. 232, and Liber A, No. 6, p. 615, of the deed books of Fairfax county, Virginia, executed by Lovelace Brown and wife and at request of the holders of the indebtedness secured by first mentioned trust, the undersigned trustees, will, about 12 o'clock, on
SATURDAY,
the 13th day of May, 1899,
offer for sale at public auction, in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market House, in the city of Alexandria, Va., that VALUABLE TRACT OF LAND, containing 66½ acres, located in Mount Vernon Magisterial District of said county, not far from Mount Vernon, on the public road leading from Alexandria to Mount Vernon, and adjoining the Mount Zephyr tract of land and tract and once owned by General George Washington. This is a fine tract of land and is located in one of the best sections of Fairfax county, not far from the electric road which runs from Mount Vernon, through the city of Alexandria, to the city of Washington.

Terms of sale:—One-half cash, and the residue in two equal payments at six and twelve months from day of sale bearing interest, and secured by deed of trust on the land sold.

JAS. McUREN, Jr., Trustee.
THOMAS B. SMITH, Trustee.
Moore & Keith, Attys. Fairfax, Va.
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AUCTION SALES.

By S. H. Hunt, Auctioneer.

BUILDING LOTS FOR SALE.

Fronting on the north side of King street, west of West street; on both sides of Porton street extended from King street to Cameron street, and on the south side of Cameron street extended west of West street. Plans showing dimensions and locations of lots can be seen at the offices of S. H. Hunt and John M. Johnson, Alexandria, Virginia.

By virtue of a decree of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, Virginia, entered in the chancery cause of James B. McNaughton vs. B. D. Carpenter, trustee, et al., the undersigned commissioners of sale made in said decree will offer for sale at public auction in front of the premises, Alexandria, Va., at about 10 o'clock a. m., on
THURSDAY, May 18th 1899,
the REAL ESTATE formerly known as "Peyton's Grove," on the north side of King street, and west of West street, Alexandria, Va., either as a whole, and if not sold as a whole in lots as follows:

Lots Nos. 1 to 5 inclusive, north side of King street, 20x100 feet.
Lot No. 6, north side of King street, 23 feet 5 inches by 140 feet.
Lots Nos. 7 to 21 inclusive, north side of King street, each 2x100 feet.
Lot No. 22, south side of Cameron street extended, 19 feet 6 inches by 100 feet.
Lots Nos. 23 to 33 inclusive, south side of Cameron street extended, each 21x100 feet.

Lot No. 34, south side of Cameron street extended, 23 feet 5 inches by 100 feet.
Lots Nos. 35 to 39 inclusive, south side of Cameron street extended, each 20x100 feet.
Lots Nos. 40, 41, 42, 44 and 45, east side of Peyton street extended, each 22 feet by 125 feet.
Lot No. 43, east side of Peyton street extended, 23 feet 2 inches by 123 feet 5 inches.

Lots Nos. 46, 47, 49, 50 and 51, west side of Peyton street extended, 22x120 feet.
Lot No. 52, 133 feet 2 inches by 118 feet, more or less.

Terms of Sale:—One-third cash and the residue in two equal payments at six and twelve months from day of sale, bearing interest and evidenced by notes of purchasers and secured by retention of title or deed of trust.

GEORGE A. MUEBACH, Comm'r.
A. W. ARMSTRONG, Comm'r.
JOHN M. JOHNSON, Comm'r.

I hereby certify that John M. Johnson, one of the commissioners of sale above mentioned, has executed bond in the penalty of five thousand dollars as required by the decree of sale in above mentioned cause, with approved surety.

JOHN S. BEACH, Clerk.
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COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF AN ACRE OF GROUND, IMPROVED BY A FRAME DWELLING, IN ALEXANDRIA COUNTY, VIRGINIA.

By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of the county of Alexandria, Virginia, entered in the chancery cause of Heinrich vs. Dye et al., the undersigned, commissioners, will sell at public auction, on the premises, on
WEDNESDAY, May 3, 1899,
at 5 o'clock p. m., the following property, to wit:

ALL THAT PIECE OR PARCEL OF LAND in Alexandria county, Virginia, designated as lot 1 in E. A. Phillips's subdivision of lot 17 in the Mason tract, and which piece or parcel of land is more particularly described as follows: Beginning at a stake in the south line of lot 17 in the Mason tract about thirty-one (31) poles, twenty (20) links from a large poplar tree known as the southeast corner of said lot 17, and the said stake being at the intersection of the west side of the Phillips country road with the north side of the Fairfax and Georgetown turnpike road; thence with the west side of the country road north 6° west fifteen (15) poles eighteen (18) links to a stake; thence south 72° west twenty-one (21) poles, twelve (12) links to a stake in the south line of said lot 17; thence with said line south 70° 45' east twenty-three (23) poles, five (5) links to the beginning, containing one (1) acre of land, and being the property of which Hampton Dye died, seized and possessed.

This property is improved by a FRAME HOUSE, has fine fruit upon it, and is in a good state of cultivation.

Terms of Sale: One-third of the purchase money in cash, and the residue in three equal payments at six, twelve and eighteen months from day of sale, the purchaser to give his notes for the deferred payments, which are to bear interest from the day of sale, and the title to be retained until the whole of the purchase money is paid, and all conveying at the cost of the purchaser.

ANTHONY W. ARMSTRONG, W. W. DOUGLASS, Commissioners of Sale.

I hereby certify that the bond required by the decree of sale in the chancery cause of Heinrich vs. Dye et al., has been given by Anthony W. Armstrong.

H. H. YOUNG, Clerk.
By R. D. YOUNG, Deputy Clerk.
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MACHINERY.

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